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# U.S. District Court Eastern District of New York (Brooklyn) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:22-cv-03110-HG

Chung v. Illuminate Education, Inc. Assigned to: Judge Hector Gonzalez Cause: 28:1332 Diversity—Fraud Date Filed: 05/26/2022 Date Terminated: 08/19/2022 Jury Demand: Plaintiff

Nature of Suit: 370 Fraud or Truth-In-Lending

Jurisdiction: Diversity

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
05/26/2022	Ϊ1	COMPLAINT against Illuminate Education, Inc. filing fee \$ 402, receipt number ANYEDC-15601506 Was the Disclosure Statement on Civil Cover Sheet completed –NO,, filed by Sarah Chung. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Proposed Summons) (Sheehan, Spencer) (Entered: 05/26/2022)
05/26/2022	Ï	Case Assigned to Judge Hector Gonzalez. Please download and review the Individual Practices of the assigned Judges, located on our <u>website</u> . Attorneys are responsible for providing courtesy copies to judges where their Individual Practices require such. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 05/26/2022)
05/26/2022	<u>Ï 2</u>	Summons Issued as to Illuminate Education, Inc (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 05/26/2022)
05/26/2022	<u>Ï 3</u>	In accordance with Rule 73 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 73.1, the parties are notified that <i>if</i> all parties consent a United States magistrate judge of this court is available to conduct all proceedings in this civil action including a (jury or nonjury) trial and to order the entry of a final judgment. Attached to the Notice is a blank copy of the consent form that should be filled out, signed and filed electronically <b>only if all</b> parties wish to consent. The form may also be accessed at the following link: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/uscourts/FormsAndFees/Forms/AO085.pdf">http://www.uscourts.gov/uscourts/FormsAndFees/Forms/AO085.pdf</a> . You may withhold your consent without adverse substantive consequences. Do NOT return or file the consent unless all parties have signed the consent. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 05/26/2022)
05/26/2022	<u>Ï 4</u>	This attorney case opening filing has been checked for quality control. See the attachment for corrections that were made, if any. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 05/26/2022)
05/27/2022	Ϊ5	SCHEDULING ORDER: Counsel for all parties are directed to appear before Judge Gonzalez for an initial status conference in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 16 on JULY 11, 2022 at 12:00PM in a courtroom to be determined. The parties are directed to comply with the attached mandatory requirements, including filing on the docket a joint letter describing the case and a completed civil case management plan prior to the conference. Requests for adjournment of the initial status conference will be considered only if made in writing and otherwise in accordance with Section I.D of Judge Gonzalez's Individual Practices. Ordered by Judge Hector Gonzalez on 5/27/2022. (Nkodo, Julie–Irene) (Entered: 05/27/2022)
07/01/2022	<u>Ï 6</u>	WAIVER OF SERVICE Returned Executed by Sarah Chung. Illuminate Education, Inc. waiver sent on 6/2/2022, answer due 8/1/2022. (Sheehan, Spencer) (Entered: 07/01/2022)
07/06/2022	<u>Ï</u> 7	NOTICE of Appearance by Alexia Renee Brancato on behalf of Illuminate Education, Inc. (aty to be noticed) (Brancato, Alexia) (Entered: 07/06/2022)
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		Court sets a briefing schedule on the motion to dismiss in lieu of a pre–motion conference:  Defendant's motion is due September 6, 2022, Plaintiff's opposition is due October 4, 2022, and the reply, if any, is due October 14, 2022. The parties are directed to review Section IV.B of the Court's Individual Practices. Ordered by Judge Hector Gonzalez on 8/8/2022. (Nkodo, Julie–Irene) (Entered: 08/08/2022)
08/09/2022 Ï	18	Letter MOTION for pre motion conference <i>re: Parties joint request to transfer action</i> by Illuminate Education, Inc (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2) (Anderson, Devin) (Entered: 08/09/2022)
08/09/2022	Ϊ	ORDER re 18 Letter MOTION for Pre–Motion conference re: Parties joint request to transfer action. The Court is in receipt of the parties' joint letter and adjourns the briefing schedule for the motion to dismiss, see Scheduling Order dated August 8, 2022, pending resolution of the request to transfer action. Ordered by Judge Hector Gonzalez on 8/9/2022. (Nkodo, Julie–Irene) (Entered: 08/09/2022)